

REMARKS

Applicant notes that the application was filed on February 18, 2004 and no office action has been issued.

5 In preparing a divisional application, it was noted that the use of "fast release" was incorrect and was not what the inventor described. The pellets are prepared simply as pellets, and are made time release by the additional steps described in the application.

Applicant respectfully submits these amendments as clarification and without adding new matter.

10 For the convenience of the examiner, Applicant has left the previous amendments in the claims so that the examiner will not have to compare two different amended claims. Previous amendments are so noted as per the Rule.

15 However, should there remain unresolved issues it is respectfully requested that the Examiner telephone Nancy Johnson, Applicants' Attorney at 775-751-3636 so that such issues may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

Respectfully Submitted,

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